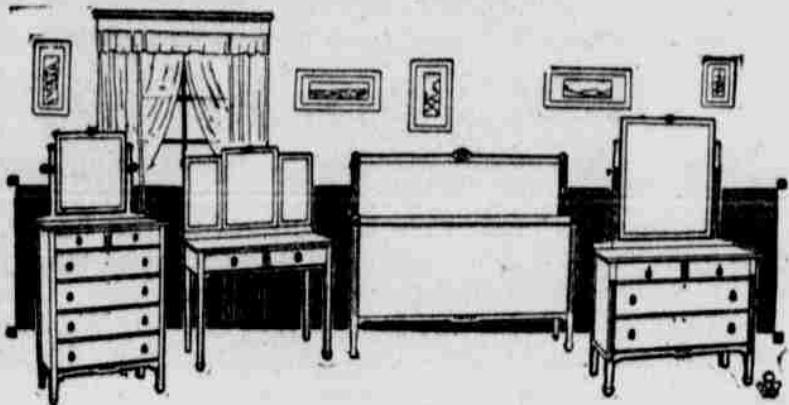


Study Furniture for the Future



Many new homes are now being established, both in town and country, and they will need to be properly furnished or outfitted. A good many other homes will simply need "fixing up." In either case, this store, equipped as it is with all kinds of good furniture ready for duty, will be of great help in bringing your plans to a realization.

The newest furniture the market affords is here, while new goods are daily arriving, and we're saving money for everybody who spends a dollar with us.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

Visit Abbott's bargain basement. Suits and coats, one-half price, at Fitts.

Charles Sassi left this morning for Old Orchard, Me., where he will work during the summer.

John McCarthy, a clerk in Smith & Cummings store, has gone to Burlington, where he is to enlist in the navy.

Mrs. W. F. Mann of Orange street returned Saturday from Trenton, N. J., where she has been visiting her daughter.

Raymond Pierce, a member of C company at Fort Ethan Allen, was a visitor at his home on Camp street during the week-end.

Lieut. H. P. Shaw returned to Fort Ethan Allen Saturday evening, after passing several days in town while on a recruiting mission.

The Misses Graham and Melver, who have been teaching in Danville during the past year, have returned to their homes in Graniteville.

Bernard Hamel of Plainfield is taking Charles Southgate's place in the Montpelier and Wells River office, while the latter is having a leave of absence.

Miss Gertrude Olsen of Detroit, Mich., who is passing her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olsen of Washington street, left today for Burlington, where she will spend a few days with her sister, Miss Agnes Olsen. She was accompanied by Miss Marion Anker, who will remain there for a week, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Vaughan.

Subscribers to the U. S. Liberty loan bonds through the Barre Savings Bank & Trust Co. are hereby notified that the second payment at the rate of \$9 per hundred on their bonds, must be paid on or before Wednesday, June 27, as the money must be in Boston June 28. Any one wishing to buy bonds on the one-dollar-a-week plan can be accommodated at the above-mentioned bank.

HELP WANTED QUICK

25 Popular Young Ladies 25 Nice Boys
25 Pretty Babies 25 Homely Men

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VOTING BEGINS TOMORROW! BALLOT BOXES AT LEADING BUSINESS PLACES.

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Young Ladies—1st Prize; Handsome Diamond Ring; 2nd, Gold Bracelet Watch.

Pretty Babies—1st and 2nd Prizes, Genuine Cut Diamond Rings.

School Boys—1917 Model Racing Bicycle (Standard make).

Oh! You Homely Man—Genuine Gold Brilliant Sapphire Ring. For further information and Rules Governing Contest, See or Phone Tony Broggi, Chairman of Carnival Committee of I. A. C.

Prizes On Public Display Tomorrow Morning.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Forty-inch reception voiles, 29c, at Abbott's.

Fourth of July noise free at Russell's soda fountain.—adv.

Rev. William N. Roberts, wife and son, Neal, of Williamstown were in town Saturday.

Nelson Campbell left Saturday for Seneca Falls, N. Y., where he will pass the summer.

Mrs. John Kennedy of Summer street spent the week-end with friends in Washington.

Melvin Lewis of South Barre, a member of Company C, returned this morning to Fort Ethan Allen.

Burke Brothers have installed an Arlington dust collector in their granite plant on Smith street.

William Noonan and John Tomasi left Saturday for Old Orchard, Me., where they will pass the summer.

Miss Mildred O'Herin arrived at her home on South Main street Saturday, where she will pass the summer.

Charles Beck of Branch street returned Saturday from Joe's pond, where he has been camping for the past week.

Mrs. Wilber French of the Williams-town road returned Saturday from Lyndonville, where she attended the funeral of a relative.

Eugene P. Maker and Howard Cole returned Saturday from Burlington, where they took the college entrance examinations of the University of Vermont.

Miss Nell Stoughton, who has been teaching school in Englewood, N. J., is passing the summer with her mother, Mrs. Laura E. Stoughton, of French street.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Welch of McIndoes are passing a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Steward of Mount street and with relatives in Montpelier.

Miss Agnes E. Garrity of Franklin street, who is taking a vacation from her duties in the Barre exchange of the Vermont Tel. & Tel. Co., left last evening for a visit of two weeks in New York.

Miss Edith Reid, assistant librarian at the Aldrich public library, began her annual vacation today and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reid of Forest Hills, N. J., before resuming her work.

The funeral of Mrs. Alice Whalen was held at the home of her brother, W. A. Bradford, Saturday at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. B. Reardon officiating. Interment was made in the Howard family lot in Elmwood cemetery.

The Bissel prize for progress awarded at the University of Vermont to the junior making the most progress in college work was divided this year because of the fact that two of the students were so nearly equal. One of the two was Miss Katherine M. Jordan of Barre, a graduate of Spaulding high school.

The fame of the recently organized Barre Pipe and Drum band continues to spread. This morning, in response to an urgent invitation from a committee at the University of Vermont, the klitties, with their pipes and drums, set out in automobiles for Burlington, where they figured in a big commencement parade today. Automobiles for the trip were generously loaned by George M. Marston and E. M. Tobin. The klitties went away in full regalia and with colors flying.

If the day's program can be arranged conveniently, the band plans to swing through the military reservation just at dusk this evening to salute the Barre boys who have joined the colors.

Mrs. George Randall of South Ryegate returned to her home Saturday, after ascertaining the whereabouts of an adopted child, who is said to have been taken from Mrs. Randall's home some time since and accompanied to Barre. The child's mother, who was a daughter of Mrs. Randall, is dead, and since the mother's death the South Ryegate woman has been caring for the youngster.

Not long ago, according to the version furnished by her while consulting with friends here, the baby was taken to Barre. While in the city Mrs. Randall conferred with a local officer and before leaving for home she satisfied herself that the child was living here and in good health.

Lowering clouds again disrupted the baseball plans of the Italian A. C. yesterday and for the fourth consecutive Sunday the afternoon program at Inter-city park was not carried out. Late in the forenoon Manager A. Broggi telephoned the manager of the Windsor team that wet grounds would prevent playing. It is expected that another effort will be made to stage the Windsor A. C. game, but for the time-being, the Italian club is centering all of its efforts on arranging for the big carnival to be inaugurated at the Berlin street park one week from today. The traveling agent of an exhibition company which is to figure in the carnival arrived today to confer with the club committee.

A militaristic woman passenger, who, unaccompanied, occupied a seat in one of the coaches on an early morning train arriving in Barre Sunday at 2 o'clock, had a warm reception ready for a late home comer from Montpelier when the latter attempted to share the seat with her. Evidently the woman reckoned that other seats were just as available, for no sooner had the interloper indicated his purpose than a ready hand deftly withdrew from a hat which rested in the woman's lap a hat pin. The man was made to realize the woman's deadly purpose when she gave him quick jab that must have drawn blood. At any rate, he muttered something in an intelligible tongue and hastily decamped. The lesson had a salutary effect for the man did not attempt to molest any of the other passengers.

Band Concert Wednesday Night. The Cristoforo Colombo band, under the direction of Prof. Peter Groppelli, will give the first concert in the city park Wednesday, June 27, from 8 to 9 p. m. Program:

"Victory to the Allies" patriotic selection—arr. by P. Groppelli
"Pean of Victory" (March) H. Elsborg
"United We Stand" patriotic selection—W. Harvey
"Eleanora" (Waltz) W. Huff
"La Traviata" (Selection) G. Verdi
"Cupid's Garden" (Intermezzo) Max Eugene
"Bersagliere" (March) Elsborg
"America"

Granite Cutters' International Association of America.

A regular meeting of the Barre branch of the G. I. C. A. of A. will be held in the opera house on Monday evening, June 25, at 7 o'clock. Election of officers.

Una riunione regolare dell'Unione degli Scapellotti (branch di Barre) avrà luogo nella opera house on Monday evening, June 25, at 7 o'clock. Election of officers. J. D. Will, secretary.

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The Demand for Youthful Styles

You who have waited to purchase your warm weather apparel have seen what a tremendous appeal there is to youth in spring clothes. The enormous call for Red Cross work, has brought about a popular demand for pure white summer dress apparel. Not in many seasons has there been so great a popular demand for the plain White Separate Skirt and Waist. We foresaw this demand and bought when the market was low, so now have a large line of these most sought for garments. In Separate White Skirts we can give you most anything you may want at from \$1.00 to \$8.50 each. See our line of pre-shrunk Skirts.

White Dresses for Nurses and Red Cross Work

We have just received a line of White Dresses, made especially for nurses and Red Cross work. This is the dress that the trade has been calling for, but owing to the unusual demand, all over the country, they have been slow in delivering same.

We also have a plain blue Chambray Dress that is made in a good high, low neck style, these are dresses that will appeal to you as a value that you have been looking for.

We have this special Misses' White Dress at only \$2.00 each.

At \$2.50 is a fine quality White Percale Dress that is made with a plain tucked waist, and a good medium skirt; this is a value that will interest you.



Summer Specials

Kinds that go with hot weather that is sure to come within the next two weeks.

Children's Parasols and Ladies' Sun Umbrellas.

Children's Parasols with fancy colored covers, at 25c each.

Children's Parasols with two double ruffles, at 50c each.

Children's Parasols, silk covered, at \$1.00.

Misses' Parasols, these are for girls from 5 years up to 13 years of age, at from 75c to \$1.19. A Special at 87c, with two-toned colors.

Ladies' Sun Umbrellas are to take place of Parasols; they are very much more durable; better style and can be used the year around. We have a special colored Sun Umbrella with picknick handles at \$3.50 each. Same style in black.

Rain Umbrellas at from 98c to \$7.50. A Special in our basement at 98c each.

New Styles in Our Wash Goods

New Reception Voiles, this at the price is the best Wash Goods value in thin summer goods on the market.

Reception Voiles come 40-inches wide, in the very best of designs, in all colors. Will wash well and make of very finest muslin and the price a costume with all the appearance of very finest muslin and the price just now on these patterns is 29c per yard.

For a few days we are showing in one of our windows a beautiful line of Wash Goods at 29c per yard. Nothing more. Lots of these goods are to-day worth 50c.

Sport Stripes for sport skirts; these goods from now on will go fast. Our assortment is very large. The price is better than last season. These were all from an early purchase.

If you cannot see these in our store we will send samples and pay parcel post. Will have to see these at once in order to get best assortment.

Just arrived this morning a choice lot of Silk de Chine Handkerchiefs and special numbers in Ladies' Hand Bags; also new lot of Black Leather Traveling Bags in large size for vacation uses, at special prices. A quantity lot at a price.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Miss Wilhelmina B. Ewen of Orange street returned Saturday from a visit of several days in Enosburg Falls.

Miss Mabel Hall has returned to her home in South Ryegate, after spending several days with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Waterman of Washington street went to Burlington this morning to attend the University of Vermont commencement.

Miss Christine Saxouer, who has been employed in the millinery department of the Mrs. Shepard Co. store for several months, left this morning for her home in Andes, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles Reed, who has been spending some time in the city as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Curtis of North Main street, returned this morning to her home in Nicholsonville, N. Y.

James M. Langley left yesterday for Hanover, N. H., where, with many other Dartmouth students, he is to resume intensive military training under officers of the United States and Canadian armies.

Robert Newcomb, publicity agent for the Boston & Maine railroad, who addressed a large gathering in the opera house last evening, was one of the passengers who made the last trip of the Green Mountain express to Boston. With Mr. Newcomb and a few other passengers aboard, the express left on schedule time for the Hub, but it did not return today. Changes in the M. & W. R. train schedule became operative this morning, and in the noon hour to-day the mail train from Boston arrived at 12:30 o'clock, instead of 11:51 a. m. Other changes affect the suburban service between Barre and Montpelier.

The body of Duncan McDonald, a former resident of Barre, whose death occurred in Fort Myers, Fla., Thursday after a long illness, arrived in the city over the Central Vermont railroad early Sunday morning and was taken to the undertaking establishment of Perry & Noonan in Depot square. The remains were accompanied by Mrs. McDonald, who was with her husband at the time of his death. Funeral services at the First Baptist church this afternoon were in charge of the pastor, Rev. B. J. Lehigh, and the occasion brought together a very large number of local people, including many who were associated with the deceased in church work here. Interment was made in the village cemetery at Washington.

The body of Samuel Tite, a well known carver in the granite industry, whose death at his home in The Northern occurred Thursday morning, after a long illness, was taken to Quincy, Mass., over the Central Vermont railroad Sunday morning at 12:30 o'clock. Mrs. Tite and her son and daughter, Arthur and Ruby Tite, accompanied the remains and funeral services were held in the Catholic church at South Quincy this forenoon at 9 o'clock, with interment in the Catholic cemetery of that village. Mrs. Tite and her children will return to Barre toward the end of the week, after passing a few days with a brother of the deceased, John Tite.

Travelers over the trunk line to White River Junction yesterday came upon members of an automobile party who had just emerged from a somewhat harrowing adventure just north of Royalton. A small touring car in which a party of five people were riding went over a precipitous drop of nearly eight feet, landing with the tonneau nearest the earth. A woman who rode on the back seat had the presence of mind to lift the child over the end of the car as the machine left the road and the infant was uninjured. One man, a passenger who was in the front seat, sustained a slight injury to one of his legs and was removed to his home. All others aboard the vehicle escaped injury, although the top of the automobile was ruined.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Food sale in Universalist vestry, Wednesday, 2:30 to 6.—adv.

Mary Nash in "Arms and the Woman," a five-reel feature at the Bijou to-day.—adv.

Atty. John W. Gordon went this morning to Waterbury, where he is acting as special master in a chancery case.

An unusual treat is promised those who attend "Marrying Mary," the musical comedy to be given at the Playhouse, Montpelier, Tuesday, June 26.—adv.

Dr. and Mrs. Horace K. Sowles of Boston and the latter's aunt, Miss Alice Wheeler of Methuen, Mass., are visiting at the home of Dr. Sowles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sowles.

Earle L. Waterman of Lansing, Mich., who, with Mrs. Waterman, is passing the summer in Burlington, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Waterman of Washington street, Friday and Saturday.

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MONTPELIER

Charles Orcutt Drove His Automobile Into House on Northfield Street.

Charles Orcutt of 26 Court street, a painter by trade, pleaded guilty in city court this morning to the charge of operating an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor and was sentenced to serve 60 days in jail. Orcutt was arrested shortly after 8 o'clock last evening after his automobile had smashed into a house on Northfield street, the machine striking the house with such force that plastering was knocked from the walls and the occupants badly frightened. The machine was wedged tightly into the building.

Attorney A. C. Theriault asked the court to be lenient with Orcutt because he had a wife and six children to support. The man had purchased the automobile on the installment plan and told the court he had paid but \$50. Judge Harvey advised Orcutt to sell his machine and during his stay in jail to work, using the money derived to aid in the support of his family.

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taken into court this forenoon by Probation Officer Smith. Judge Harvey simply continues the term of probation, imposing no penalty.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

"World of Pleasure Shows" in Barre All Next Week.

The Italian Athletic association, in offering the public one big "joy week," commencing Monday, July 2, can assure amusement seekers the latest and most meritorious list of interesting attractions. After due consideration, the famous World of Pleasure Shows was selected to offer, produce and manage what is likely the largest, most expensive and varied line of outdoor, novel, attractive and entertaining exhibits ever gathered together for any like event. The World of Pleasure Shows is said to be the most costly and interesting production ever conceived and invented for traveling purposes.

Among the many featured attractions you will see on the multi-color midway includes: The Monkey Speedway; the Hawaiian Village; Silo-drome; the athletic arena; the circus sideshow, Superbia; the Whip; the merry-go-round. In addition to these, there will be offered quite a number of other high-class entertainments, each and every one a separate and distinct exhibit, all of prize-winning merit and so varied that the visitor simply revels in all kinds of enjoyment, each one to his or her individual taste for amusement.

A complete list of these various features, shows and performances would fill one page of newspaper reading, and it is positively guaranteed a full week's enjoyment is promised to all who attend.—adv.

Serve Your Country at the Dinner Table. The July American Magazine prints an interview with an authority on the food question, and this man says:

"Cut down waste! We are throwing into our garbage pails enough foodstuffs to keep countless people from starvation. Do you know that it would take 400,000 acres of wheat land to make up the loss sustained if only one slice of stale bread a day were thrown away in every American household?"

"The cities are the centers of extravagance. You who live there have got to lead the way. Otherwise, it is no use to preach food thrift to the millions of rural folk who are comparatively thrifty as it is."

"If you can't serve your country at the battle front you can serve her at the dinner table. Give up your supper after the theatre, your midnight lunches after a party. Every time you eat a late evening meal you are taking food from the bare cupboards of our fellows across the ocean."

Monday Special

Onions! Onions!
Six Pounds for 25c.

Pears, Dauntless brand, per can... 15c, two for 25c
Cherries, Red Pitted, gallon can... 95c
Apples, gallon can... 30c
Peaches, Yellow Cling, per can... 20c, 3 cans 55c
Vermont Comb Honey, per box... 25c
Pressed Corned Beef, per lb... 28c

Swordfish! Swordfish!

Fresh to-day—Just what you have been waiting for. No waste—no bones—it is delicious.

The Smith & Cumings Co.
"GOOD THINGS TO EAT"

Monday Special

Ten-cent package free-running Table Salt to-day, 6c

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, per package... 10c
Kellogg's Toast Biscuit, per package... 12c
Kellogg's Table Bran, per package... 15c
Kellogg's Krumbles, per package... 10c
Saxon Breakfast Food, per package... 15c
Shredded Wheat, per package... 12c
Cream of Wheat, per package... 20c
12 Hominy Grits... 12c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen... 37c
Old Potatoes, per peck... 80c
Large Can of best Pumpkin... 15c

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